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## HAS SENATE BY THROAT

SENATOR MORGAN DEFEATS SENATOR CULLOM'S EFFORTS FOR VOTE ON THE TREATY.

## HE DOES ALL THE TALKING

Backed Up By Quay With His State-Hood Club-House Passes the Naval Bill.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The executive session of the Senate to consider the Panama canal treaty continued from 12:29 until nearly 6 and then took a recess until 8 p.m. Then following a brief speech by Mr. Morgan in support of the treaty, Mr. Quay presented a copy of the constitution which he asked to be read. Objection was made by anti-statehood senators on the belief the move was clearly intended to delay ratification. Mr. Quay assured the senators that was not the purpose, and the objection was withdrawn. The reading of the document consumed over two hours and was followed by a speech by Mr. Morgan in which he laid certain alleged discrepancies between the act authorizing the purchase of the company's franchises and property and the terms of treaty. An animated debate followed and at 8:50 a motion to adjourn was defeated. Immediately afterward a motion for recess until 8 p.m. was adopted. When the evening session was called to order the point of no quorum was made. A quorum was secured a half hour later and Mr. Morgan proceeded with his speech until 11 o'clock, when the session adjourned.

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## THE HOUSE.

At the end of a protracted session the house today passed the naval appropriation bill. A great many amendments were offered to the provisions relating to the increase of the personnel and the authorization of ten ships to be built. The most important amendment adopted was one to authorize the secretary of the navy in his discretion to purchase or contract for sub-marine torpedo boats after an investigation of their merits, and appropriates \$500,000 for that purpose.

The amendment was in the language of a bill introduced by Mr. Hill of Connecticut, and it was stated on the floor that it had the support of all the members of the naval committee. It was adopted without any debate. The words authorizing the construction of the new ships in connection with the bill were stricken out. As passed the bill provides for three new battleships and an armed cruiser, two steel training ships and one wooden brig for training purposes, in addition to submarine boats dismally authorized. The increase in the personnel of the navy went through as reported by the committee, an effort to limit the increase to two midshipmen for each senator and representative to the port between now and 1911 having been voted down.

## PARKER'S CANDIDACY

Calls Out A Mild Criticism By Judge Goodrich.

New York, Feb. 19.—From the fact that the name of Judge Alton P. Parker of the court of appeals has been given prominence as a possible democratic nominee for president, Justice Goodrich of the appellate division of the supreme court, at the annual dinner of the Brooklyn Bar Association, yesterday, rebuked and rebuked his colleagues, in which he declared that the "judge who is running with ex-patriot or to the best of political preferment buzzing in his head" is already enmeshed in his "follies." Let us have no internal temptation to play the gallot's no longer running after the flesh pots of Egypt, he opined, suggesting the virtue of a man's own innate ability as a candidate.

Goodrich said:

"I judge are but human beings, certain of them when a judge is nominated for a high office, their natural ambition is to be a judge, and when nominated to his political ambition, it may be that the fate of an eminent and responsible man as Secretary of State will be repeated in the case of a judge who should be induced to accept the nomination for president. Perhaps it is for this reason no judge has ever been nominated for that office."

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## For Pancake Supper.

George W. A. Bixby of the Gas company has tendered the ladies of the Sanctuary chapter of St. John's church the use of the company's office for their pancake supper on Shrove Tuesday, February 24. The hours will be from 5 to 8 p.m. There will be a sale of stocks, collars and aprons in connection.

## DIED TO ESCAPE DISGRACE

H. T. Goodwin, Confidential Clerk, Who Killed Himself Last December, Was a Defaulter.

## DOWNFALL DUE TO BOOK LOVE.

Philadelphia, Feb. 19.—J. Gardner Cussatt, head of the banking house of Cussatt & Co., today gave out a statement in which he says that Howard T. Goodwin, formerly confidential clerk of the firm, who committed suicide last December, was a defaulter to the amount of \$60,000 to \$80,000. Goodwin killed himself in the company's office, and the cause of the act was never made public until today. Cussatt, in his statement, says:

"Goodwin's downfall was due to his love of books. He was an enthusiast over rare editions and expensive bindings. His early embezzlements were to gratify this taste. As years passed he found his shortage becoming greater, and took more money for speculation in cheap stocks in the hope of recovering himself. I had the utmost confidence in Goodwin, as he had been asked to be read. Objection was made by anti-statehood senators on the belief the move was clearly intended to delay ratification. Mr. Quay assured the senators that was not the purpose, and the objection was withdrawn.

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Miss Roosevelt Seeks Rest.

Daughter of President Compelled to Curtail New Orleans Gaieties.

New Orleans, Feb. 19.—The program for the entertainment of Miss Alice Roosevelt has proved to be a trifle too strenuous, and some of the social engagements have been canceled in order to give her an opportunity for needed rest after each day's round of pleasures.

Miss Roosevelt and Miss Root, after attending the ball of the Atlanteans last night, returned to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John McIlhenny, where they were not permitted to be disturbed until this afternoon, when they were the guests of honor at a luncheon given by Mrs. Corvill T. Harris. The Atlantean ball fully sustained its traditions of magnificence and was a greater than ordinary attraction because of the presence of distinguished guests.

After the ball Miss Roosevelt and Miss Root were entertained at supper by Mr. and Mrs. George Denegre.

A private car with a party of Chicanos, headed by Mrs. McCormick, reached here last night. The party had a temporary home leased in Camp street, and will be housed there until after the carnival, when they will continue their trip to Mrs. McCormick's villa in Huntsville, Ala., formerly the O'Shaughnessy villa.

The battleship Texas arrived here today to participate in the carnival.

MAKES INTENTIONAL DISPLAY OF FRIENDSHIP FOR AMERICA

Czar Nicholas Was Real Nice to Ambassador McCormick.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 19.—The czar's attention to Ambassador McCormick and Mrs. McCormick is the subject of court comment and is interpreted as an intentional demonstration of his friendship for the United States. To the ambassador and his wife the czar has expressed the most friendly feelings for America and his interest in everything American, saying to McCormick:

"My friendship is as strong as that of my grandfather, and when I think of you, myself I speak for all my people. He has shown much interest in the Venezuelan question and gratification of the views of his own country.

GRAND TRUNK PASSENGER ROLLS DOWN EMBANKMENT

Not A Single Passenger Hurt Because of Lucky Circumstance.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 19.—The Montreal express of the Grand Trunk railroad was derailed at Whiteley Junction today. All the cars rolled down a 25 foot embankment. There was not much to prevent the cars at the bottom from breaking and to this is due the miraculously escape of the passengers. No one was killed though over twenty were more or less severely injured. Harry Lindsey of Forest Lake, Wis., was one of those taken to the hospital. His head was cut and his knee hurt.

THE FINANCIAL PLAN

Of the Great Steel Corporation About Ready to Announce.

New York, Feb. 19.—The finance committee of the United States Steel Corporation will in all probability announce the long projected bond conversion at an early date. There are no longer any legal barriers to the consummation of the plan which will be carried out, it is said, as originally planned, namely, the return of \$26,000,000 seven per cent preferred stock and the issue of \$250,000,000 five per cent bonds.

BLAMES MINE OPERATORS

Wisconsin Investigators Say Dealers And Railroads not Responsible.

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Food for Flames.

Menasha, Wis., Feb. 19.—Sixty thousand dollars worth of shingles and cedar shingles burned here today. The cause of the fire was flying sparks from a passing engine.

## SACRIFICE TO GRADE CROSSING

AT FULL SPEED FAST TRAIN DASHES INTO TROLLEY CAR LOADED WITH CHILDREN.

## INSTANTLY KILLING TWELVE

And, Wounding Twenty or Thirty More—Newark, N. J., Scene of a Distressing Catastrophe.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 19.—A trolley car loaded with pupils on their way to high school was run into today at the Clifton avenue crossing by a Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad train.

Twelve persons were killed and 30 or more were injured. Some of the injured died.

The trolley car, the injured passengers were taken to a hospital, and the others were able to walk to their homes. The identification of the dead and injured was a difficult task and was accomplished very slowly.

The dead:

VIOLA HILL, 17 years.

MADE BAKER, 16 years.

ERNESTINE P. MUELLER, 15.

MABEL E. KARSCHNER, 17.

ALMA LOEHNBERG, 16.

ROSEBUD KOHN.

ELLA WERPUPP, 19.

EVAN L. EASTWOOD, JR., 15.

The fatally injured are:

Jennie McClelland.

Motorman Brady.

Engineer Backfill.

The injuries of the others varied from broken limbs to bruises.

The railroad train, which was running at almost full speed, was seen by the motorman, who, on the brakes and did all he could to stop his car, but the wheels slipped upon the ice, which were covered with ice, and the car slid forward until its front platform projected over the railroad track.

The pilot of the engine struck the platform threw the car around and then toppled it over. The train went on, and was not stopped until it had gone several blocks from the crossing.

The body of one of the victims, a girl, was found on the pilot of the trolley car, the accident occurring at a standstill.

The accident occurred at the Clifton avenue crossing, long noted as a dangerous spot.

Special Car for Pupils.

The trolley car was one of the special vehicles, which the North Jersey Street Railway Co. runs between 9 o'clock, five meetings in the week for the special accommodation of high school pupils. It was crowded with young men and women from all parts of the city.

Immediately after the accident had been reported, all the police reserves of the Second precinct were sent to the scene to keep back the crowd which gathered almost immediately. The train which caused the accident was the Shawangunk & Passaic express. There is some question as to whether both crossing gates were down when the car ran into them, or whether the crossing at the same time.

Many Bodies Mutilated.

The sight was a sickening one. Mutilated bodies were scattered in every direction. The uninjured carried the injured children to nearby places of temporary refuge.

The trolley car could not be stopped, although the motorman appeared to make frantic efforts to do so.

The conductor of the trolley, George Gould, said:

It is customary for trolley conductors to leave their cars as this crossing is approached and as the car stops to run ahead and see if the track is clear.

"I should have done that this morning, had I not seen that the gates were lowered. Naturally I concluded the car would stop, and the first thing I knew was when we went crashing through the gates."

Policeman Stuckey who was a witness of the accident, said the trolley car had projected about four feet over the track when it was struck.

There were about 12 children on the front platform. It is not known whether they hampered the motorman's movements.

Passengers on the train heard the screams of the children before the train struck the car, and an illustration of the force of the collision, the front part of the trolley car was picked up three blocks further down between the two tracks.

Car Was Overloaded.

Owing to the severity of the weather the car carried more than the ordinary load. The inside of the car was packed while both platforms were crowded. Most of those on the outside jumped before the crash came, but there was no possible escape for the others. When the collision occurred the car was cut almost in the middle and the children were thrown in every direction, some being crushed to death.

The spectacle was so appalling that many who started in the work of rescue gave up uninvolved. In a few minutes more bodies were taken from the wreck and laid side by side in the snow alongside of the track.

Steamship Arrivals.

Liverpool, Feb. 19.—Peruvian from

Halifax and St. John's, Parisian, from

St. John's, Halifax.

Rotterdam—Amsterdam, from New

London—Columbian, from Boston,

New York—Lancastrian from Liverpool.

Furnessia from Glasgow.

Italy Offers Thanks.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Signor Mayor

Des Plaines, Italian ambassador,

called on Secretary Hay today and

formally tendered the thanks of

the Italian government for the good offices

of the United States in the Venezuelan

controversy.

QUEEN WILL DECLINE

## FUNERALS.

Mrs. L. Field.

The funeral of Mrs. L. Field was held Thursday afternoon from her late residence on Central avenue. There was a very large attendance, including the pastors of the city churches and a number of United Brethren ministers from other towns in this district. There was a profusion of beautiful flowers.

The music was very beautiful and was rendered by a quartet composed of Misses Lena and Ethel Patten, Professor M. L. and Charles Mapes. The burial was in Greenwood cemetery and the pallbearers were the following clergymen: Rev. H. Shear, Rev. J. B. Boggs, Rev. J. E. Cook, Rev. D. A. Marrs, Rev. J. A. Shambarger and Rev. S. P. Hoy.

P. J. Kearney.  
The remains of Patrick J. Kearney who died Wednesday at his home in Dwyer's Grove, arrived in Decatur Thursday afternoon shortly after 4

o'clock and were taken to St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church where funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Father Loughney.

The burial was in Calvary cemetery and the pallbearers were Peter Mooney, T. J. O'Brien, James McKinley, John Gogarty, Thomas Mulandy, Sr., and William Ryan.

Daniel Maher.

The funeral of Daniel Maher will occur this morning at nine o'clock from St. Patrick's Catholic church. The burial will be in Calvary cemetery.

Called to Monticello.

Undertaker James Moran was called to Monticello Thursday night to take charge of the remains of Mrs. Rosenville, of Chicago, who died there while on visit to relatives.

To St. Louis.

Raymond Snyder, formerly a cook at Greer's cafe left Thursday for St. Louis to accept a similar position.



## Interesting Items for Friday and Saturday

### At Decatur's Popular Store

**Tam O'Shanter Caps**  
FOR LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDREN in all colors, including gray, cream, blue, blacks and variegated colorings, all sizes, knit edges, long canes hair nap, have sold up to \$1 each. Our price for Fri. day and Saturday each . . . . . **39c**

**Children's Fez Caps**  
IN ALL COLORS and white. Excellent qualities, some union silk and wool in this assortment. Just the thing for this cold weather and school wear. 75c values. Our sale price for these two days, . . . . . **39c**

**300 Dozen Pearl Buttons, good size, worth to 12 1-2c a doz., our price . . . . . **5c****

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**CHILDREN'S KNIT SACQUES**  
SPECIAL for these two days. Knit sacques, all sizes, for infants, made of fine quality zephyr yarns in colored and white, equal to 50c grades, our price each . . . . . **25c**

**CHILDREN'S ONE LOT** Children's Yarn Mittens in all sizes—blacks only—ribbed cuff, regular made, perfect fitting, 15c kind; our price each . . . . . **10c**

**Pillow Cases**

The best article of the kind ever shown for the money. Made of soft finish muslin, full size, 42x36. Torn, ironed and hemmed, 15c grade. Our price, each . . . . . **9c**

**Hemstitched Pillow Cases**  
Made of Atlantic Mills muslin. Every lady knows this brand and quality. Very fine, worth 22c each. Our price Friday and Saturday, each . . . . . **15c**

**MILLINERY** At Rock-Bottom Prices

We will Dispose of our entire line of pattern and model hats this week regardless of former prices and costs. We have in all about fifty Trimmed Hats for ladies, all good styles and productions, that have been selling up to \$7.50 each to close quick. This week you get them at near your own price. Choice

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**NEW BUTTONS FOR SPRING WEAR, ALSO SHIRT WAIST SETS**

Opalescent Pearl Buttons, in a number of large sizes, very handsome for shirt waists, per doz . . . . . **50c**  
Oblong Carved Pearl Buttons, in regular waist size, guaranteed mother of pearl, in sets of 6, set . . . . . **45c**  
Martinique Formed Waist sets, made of mother of pearl, superior to anything of this nature produced this season, per set . . . . . **50c**  
Sterling Enamelled Waist and Tailor Suit Buttons, very handsome designs, shown regularly at \$1.00, our price . . . . . **50c**  
Jeweled Buttons in Turquoise, Ruby and Persian effects, handsomely carved, enameled, for wash waists exclusively, per set of four . . . . . **25c**  
Turquoise and coral effects in Bullet Buttons for trimming purposes, per dozen . . . . . **25c**  
Fish Eye Buttons in mother of pearl button, ranging in price per doz, from 75c down to . . . . . **15c**

**New Spring Ribbons**  
This Includes a Handsome Line of Fancies

5c a yard for Satin and Taffeta Ribbons in all colors, two and two and one-half inches wide, worth 8c a yd. 10c a yard pure Silk, Satin and Taffeta Ribbons for fancy work, hair bows, etc., up to 3 inches wide, 16 2-3c  
25c a yard for Satin, Taffeta Ribbons, in all wanted colors, the No. 80 width, usually sold up to 20c, set the grade.  
25c a yard choice of a handsome line of fancy ribbons in stripes and floral patterns, all silk, new colorings.

**FREE** FOR TWO DAYS. We will tie free of charge all hair bows, corsage bows and neck ribbons. This is an opportunity you cannot afford to miss, as this be novelties you will appreciate.

## THE FANCY DRESS

Party of the All The Year Round Club Was the Event of the Season

IN LINE OF MASK BALLS.

Splendid Costumes and a Merry Company Were There.

Alphonse and Gaston, Cousin Leon and Happy Hooligan together with our old friends Clarence and Mickey and all the galaxy of colored supplement people and a sprinkling of the customary masquerade characters filled the Guards' armory last night on the occasion of the All The Year Round Club's fancy dress ball.

The affair was the social affair for the most elaborate and effective costumes that has been seen for many years in Decatur. Many of the costumes were really artistic and all were good. Some of the maskers were made up and even without the customary mask went through the evening undetected. There was not a dull minute all evening and until the unmasking, which came about ten o'clock, the funny characters entertained the company with all sorts of pranks between dances.

The real success of the evening was the scarecrow in the person of Ed Denz. If anything should happen to the present impersonator of that very limp individual in the Wizard of Oz they could hardly get a better substitute. Swathed and padded out of all human semblance and with a strap around his waist he was thrown and dragged all around the hall the first part of the evening, most of the dancers stopping the object was a mere dummy. Just before the call to unmash, the supposed dummy was casually pitched out of the third story window and a minute later appeared in the doorway of the hall in a rather more dilapidated condition than before. Of course it was a dummy that was thrown out but the substitution was so cleverly effected that there were many persons who were horrified at the accident.

Hooligan and a giant firecracker exploded a safe space in the middle of a square dance before he was run in by the clown cap, and other pranks and diversions kept the crowd guessing.

It was impossible to obtain a complete list but among the characters represented were the following:

Gaston, Oscar Mueller; Alphonse, Arthur Hartley; Cousin Leon, C. H. Peters; clown policeman, Phil Mueller; scarecrow dummy, Ed Denz; Wun Lung, Dr. Hugo A. Vaughan; Hopalong, Guy Lewis; Clarence and Mickey, the yellow kids, Mrs. Harvey Greden and Mrs. H. Young; Japanese, Mrs. Ed Denz; Scrubbing Janice, Mrs. Fred Tuttle; Brothel Miner, Mrs. Fred Tuttle; Spanish peasant, Mrs. Mrs. Ed Wilhelmy; French country boy, Mrs. A. E. Wilhelmy; French country girl, Mrs. Tom Cassell; Reuben, Dr. Fred Ives; Happy Hooligan, Will Pepple; clown, Will Shorl; red domino, Roy Essick; Breton peasant, Mrs. Oscar Mueller; Romeo, E. B. Fair; Mr. Murphy, grocer, Ireland, Harvey Griselda; Arab, John Yoder; Spanish girl, Mrs. Will Pierce; Child Lady, Forrest Clark; Sir Horatio, Mrs. Forrest Clark; Red Riding Hood, Miss Will Peters and Miss Albert Roushmen; Vassar Girl, Mrs. Fred Ives; Irish Girl, Mrs. Jake Voelker; Queen of Hearts, Mrs. Hugh Vaughan; Columbine, Mrs. Frank Pahmeyer; Farm girl, Ross Venters; Night, Mrs. Frank Whiteman; two backward schoolgirls, Mrs. Ed Kuny and Mrs. Frank Plumer; Spanish dancing girl, Mrs. Clyde Boyer; coon, Clyde Boyer; Night, Mrs. Frank Cassell, old fashioned girl, Mrs. Ike Shoemaker; black domino, Mrs. C. E. Head; Quakeress, Mrs. Ross Venters; Puritan, Mrs. T. A. Cassell; Shepherdess, Mrs. Charles Peters; hobos, Dr. A. F. Wilhelmy and George Harris; clowns, Frank Pahmeyer, Albert Reubanes and Ike Shogren.

J. J. H. Young acted as master of ceremonies and floor manager.

**PROMISES THE BEST.**

Farmers' State Institute at Bloomington Next Week Will Be Great Meeting.

J. B. Burrows, secretary of the Marion county farmers institute looks forward to the state institute at Bloomington next week as the most profitable gathering of the kind ever held in the state. The principal features of the program were published in the Herald one day recently. The sessions open on the 21st and continue for three days.

The program has been arranged in such way that it offers to the student of agriculture the greatest possible benefits. Department meetings are to be held for one hour each day preceding the regular program. These departments include cattle, grain, domestic science, and other special subjects. The various departments will be under the personal direction of members of the faculty of the University of Illinois and other similar institutions. The result to the farmers will be invaluable instruction by known experts in each particular line.

The program for the general meeting is a fine one, and among the noted speakers will be the Honorable David Wilson, secretary of agriculture. The railroads have made a special rate of one and one third fare for all those desiring to attend. Programs of the meeting may be obtained by calling on County Clerk Dill.

Among those from this county who expect to attend are J. F. Recker, L. C. Walker of Oakley, E. R. Huntington of Mt. Zion, Mrs. O. M. Scott of Mt. Zion, Miss Ida Mills of this city, W. H. Bern of Blue Mound and J. H. Burrows of this city.

**Family Row.**

Tom Powers of Clinton went to the home of his sister on East Leeland avenue on Thursday and began abusing her. The woman's husband interfered and put Powers out of business and the police afterwards locked the offender in the calaboose.

**Will Offered.**

In the county court Thursday the will of the late Nannie McDonald was offered for probate by Catherine M. Beckett. Judge Smith fixed March 18 as the day for the hearing.

**Diphtheria.**

A case of diphtheria at 870 West Green street was reported to the board of health on Thursday.

## SOCIALLY SPEAKING

Mrs. W. B. Hostetter will entertain a number of friends at 1 o'clock this afternoon at a luncheon. The afternoon will be spent with cards.

Thursday evening was the last ladies' night at the Decatur club and the arrangements were a trifle more elaborate than usual. The opera house orchestra furnished music for dancing and billiards furnished further diversion. A tempting luncheon was served in four courses. There was a large attendance and a pleasant evening.

Miss Harsha Miller, 1020 North Church street, was given a birthday party last evening by a number of her fourteen-year friends. It was in honor of her fourteenth birthday. The house was beautifully decorated in purple and yellow and the same color scheme was carried out in the table decorations. Those present were Harsha Miller, Hazel Lomaster, Fay Kennedy, Hazel May, Kiki Stover, Evelyn Lehman, Guy Hendricks, Linda Schubka, Adel Adams, Zada Deetz, Paul Horne, Ethel Gile, Fred Stone, Veine Longstreet, Hescherl Burnsider, Park Seidner, Tommy Polrath, Davis Wilson, Frank Harry, Guy Rodgers, Everett Lehman, Homer and Elmer Glenn. Miss Haisha received several beautiful presents from her young friends.

**LESS SAIL THAN EVER**

New Shamrock Designed for Fast Work in Light Weather.

Glasgow, Feb. 19.—Large gangs of workmen are rapidly pushing the completion of the Shamrock III. The challenger is expected to carry less sail than any challenger since Valkyrie III. All efforts have been turned towards the production of a yacht which will drive easily in all weathers, especially in turning to the windward through a head sea, a lack of which which proved fatal to the Shamrock II. All the hollow steel spars are practically finished. The riggers are preparing the running and standing gear, and the finishing gangs are working on the hull.

**SUTTON BEATS VIGNAUX.**

Both Men Play Brilliant Billiards in International Match.

Paris, Feb. 19.—Sutton and Vignaux met in the international billiard championship tournament tonight. Sutton won in 16 innings, 500 to 471. In the fifth inning, Sutton broke the record with a run of 200, to which Vignaux immediately replied with 131. Sutton's average for the 1-14, Vignaux's 29 1-2. The game lasted almost four hours and was most exciting. The applause was enthusiastic, and especially at the two great runs over which the supporters of the rivals went almost frantic.

**THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION**

Formulates Demand To Be Presented At Coming Conference.

New York, Feb. 19.—Mutual respect for contract and reservation rights; uniform playing rules; a board of arbitration consisting of the representation of the National Association on one side and the two major leagues on the other. These are the main points of the National Association of professional baseball leagues will insist on in the coming conference between the association and the National and American Leagues regarding the drawing of a new national agreement. This also practically sums up the result of today's meeting of the National board of the National association.

**SPLENTERS OF SPORT.**

It is probable that Outfielder Lippe's case will go before the National association of Minor League clubs.

Lippe, it appears, has signed with Minneapolis in defiance of his contract with Rockford. Secretary Farrell of the association will be notified if Lippe refuses to report here and "Lip" will find his plan to go to Minneapolis without the Rockford club's consent will be upset.—Rockford Star.

Harry Stauffer is the only member of the Davenport team who played with the Davenport aggregation of 1901.

Davenport fans claim to have the tip that their club will open at home with Cedar Rapids. Rockford will open at Dubuque. Rock Island, it is said, is slated to start the ball rolling at Joliet, and Bloomington at Decatur.

The Davenport baseball club will play its first game of the season April 12. The players will report the 10th, the earliest the team has ever been called together. Nearly all of the other Three-Eye teams will report April 1.

Manager Eelen Hill of Cedar Rapids has released Pete Dahlquist to Minneapolis.

Jack Herbert has returned home from a visit to relatives in Iowa. He stopped over for a short visit in Bloomington and had a talk with Manager Conners who is anxious for him to sign there in case he can get away from New Orleans.

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**PROMISES THE BEST.**

Farmers' State Institute at Bloomington Next Week Will Be Great Meeting.

J. B. Burrows, secretary of the Marion county farmers institute looks forward to the state institute at Bloomington next week as the most profitable gathering of the kind ever held in the state.

The principal features of the program were published in the Herald one day recently.

The sessions open on the 21st and continue for three days.

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125 Ladies' Waists, all colors.

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200 dozen Ladies' Plain Handkerchiefs.

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You can dress better and Pay Less if you attend this Great Bankrupt Sale.

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1,900 yards of Plain Dress Goods.

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Curtain Cloth.

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Men's best grade Fancy Cassimères, all wool, and Silk Mixtures, cut away Suits.

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The Fair Price ..... 10c and 15c

4c per yd.

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69c

50 large, white Bed Spreads.

The Fair Price ..... \$1.25

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One lot of 250 Ladies' Wrappers.

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Remnants of Gingham, 2 1-2 to 3 yards in a remnant, suitable for aprons.

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Regular Price ..... 5c

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At 50c On the Dollar and Must be sold accordingly.

Having decided to add to our stock of Clothing and Shoes a full and complete line of Dry Goods, Notions and Ladies' Furnishings, we have purchased said stock of THE FAIR STORE, ADRIAN, MICH., at 50 cents on the dollar, and propose to open the greatest sale ever attempted in this section of the country.

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The goods in this stock are practically all new, as the Fair Store has been in existence less than a year, and most of these goods are new, bought for the coming spring season, so do not judge the goods by the prices, but come and investigate first.

## Table Linens and Toweling.

200 yards of all linen white table damask, guaranteed to wear.	29c
Fair price 40c. Our price ..... 10c; ours ..... 5c	
150 yards of White all linen table damask, beautiful cloth, Fair price 50c.	39c
Our price ..... 10c; quality 99c; \$1.25 quality for ..... 89c	
Clark's Crochet Cotton, 200 yard spools. Fair price 15c. Our price ..... 3c	
30 yards White Table Linen.	10c
Fair price 35c. Our price ..... 10c	
180 yards 2 yard wide all linen damask in beautiful patterns, no better cloth; sold every where at 75c.	48c 69c
Our price ..... 10c	
Pocket Books, 10c style for 50c; 20c style 10c; 30c style 25c	
Worth up to 12 1-2c yard.	64c
Toweling	
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Turkey Red Damask	
Worth 22c per yard.	16c
Corsets	
75c quality for ..... 49c	
\$1.00 quality for ..... 69c	
59c quality for ..... 29c	
Umbrellas	
75c Umbrellas for ..... 45c	
\$1.00 Umbrellas for ..... 69c	
\$1.25 Umbrellas for ..... 75c	
\$1.50 Umbrellas for ..... 99c	
Hat Pins	
Choice lot of Hat Pins, worth up to 25c. Our price ..... 5c	
Ladies' Handkerchiefs	
500 Plain and fancy Handkerchiefs.	3c
Fair price 5c, Our price ..... 3c	

## Dress Goods Bargains.

Turkey Red Handkerchiefs, large size, Fair price 40c; ours ..... 5c	
Red Damask Table Cover. \$2.00 quality, \$1.25; \$1.40 quality 99c; \$1.25 quality for ..... 89c	
Paney Striped Worsted Dress Goods, Worth up to 25c per yard. Our price ..... 10c	
300 yards White Table Linen.	10c
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Corsets	
Worth up to 65c each.	29c
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10c Hose for 5c per pair.	
12 1-2c Hose for 10c per pair.	
15c Hose for 15c per pair.	
20c Hose for 20c per pair.	
Brush Binding	
Best quality. Fair price 5c, Our price ..... 3c	
Cotton Batting	
Free from all dirt—worth 6c—Our price ..... 3c	
Fancy Cretons	
Worth up to 15c yard.	64c
Supreme Saxony Yarn	
10c Hose for 5c pair.	
15c Hose for 7c pair.	
20c Hose for 10c pair.	
25c Hose for 12c pair.	
30c Hose for 15c pair.	
Ladies' Underwear	
At 3, 5, 6 and 10c. Worth double.	
White Linen Damask	
Worth 45c to 50c yard.	33c
Toweling	
Good toweling, worth 5 and 10c per yd.	3c
Printed Shirting	
Fair price 7c.	
Extra Wide Ticking	
Worth 22c per yard.	162c
Grain Sacks	
Extra quality, at 15c each.	

Clothing	\$5000 Worth of Men's and Boy's Clothing TO BE CLOSED OUT AT THIS SALE AT MARVELLOUSLY LOW PRICES. If you ever intend to buy a suit, now's the time to do so.
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48c	Pair for Men's Cotton Working Pants. The Fair Price \$1.00.
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\$1.75	Men's Pure Wool Pants, equal to the best custom made. The Fair Price.
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\$3.75	Men's best grade Fancy Cassimères, all wool, and Silk Mixtures, cut away Suits.
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## THE MARKETS

## FINLEY BARRELL LETTER.

Furnished by Tyler, Harney & Co., 114 East William, Both Phones 352.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—WHEAT.—There has been a small but nervous wheat market with the scalpers finding it difficult to follow the small, but rapid turns. The foreign news has been weak; the cash demand poor from abroad. But there has been firmness at Minneapolis and claims of improved flour demand. There was a sale of 10,000 sacks of wheat flour by a local mill to London—the first possible in some weeks. There was some local wheat business, about 100,000 bu, including 50,000 bu No. 3 northern, at 2 1/2c under the May. Liverpool and London were 5-8 to 3-10 lower; Paris 1-2 to 1 cent lower. The recent severe weather is still showing on the receipts, smaller generally than last year. Clearances were 337,000 bu. The Price Current said the wheat went under the snow in good condition. New York reported some re-selling of Manitoba cargoes. The French official crop report showed a better general condition than last year. The private advices were of same strength. New York says three loads.

CORN.—There has been a firm tone in corn and a rather active trade. The market has felt the ups and downs of wheat, especially the weakness of wheat toward the close. At its best corn was 1-2c over the Wednesday close. The cash lots were unchanged from Wednesday. The seaboard seamer declined to do anything. Cables were some lower. Clearances were 267,000 bu; and receipts at the seaboard were large. The provision interests were the conspicuous ones in corn. There was further July buying credited to Armour, and there was buying of both May and July by other provision interests.

OATS.—There has been a better tone in oats than on Wednesday, possibly the price was helped some by the corn firmness. At its best there was an advance over Wednesday of 1-4 to 3-8c, but there was some yielding from the top along with everything else. The cash demand was poor, but the offerings were small and receipts so small the local trade took the oats at Wednesday's price. Receipts 72 cars; estimate for Friday 65 cars. There was some Patten selling.

## OPEN BOARD QUOTATIONS.

Kiester & Kretzinger, Room 425 Powers Building, Old 'Phone 93, New 43.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	774	782	774	774
July 733	732	732	732	732
Corn	45	45	45	45
May 45 1/2	41	43	41	41
Oats	352	354	352	352
July 321 1/2	321	321 1/2	321	321 1/2
Pork	17.62	17.62	17.62	17.62
July 16.85	17.05	16.85	17.02	
Lard	9.57	9.62	9.57	9.62
May 9.52	9.65	9.52	9.65	
July 9.37	9.47	9.37	9.45	

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Wheat—No. 2 red 75 to 78; No. 3 red 70 to 71; No. 2 hard, 71 to 73; No. 3 hard, 68 to 71.

Corn—No. 2, No. 2 white, and No. 2 yellow, 132 to 141; No. 3 red 124 to 132; No. 3 yellow, 13 to 12 1/2; February 43.

Oats—No. 3, 21 to 34 1/2; No. 3 red 22 to 34; No. 2 white 36 to 37; No. 3 white 32 to 35 1/2; No. 4 white 33 1/2 to 34 1/2; standard 34 1/2 to 35; Feb. 34.

Other Quotations.

Rye, May 50 1/2 to 50 3/4.

Barley, Cash 16 to 56.

Flax, \$1.14 to \$1.19.

Clover—\$1.15.

Receipts and Shipments.

Receipts, Shipments, 21,000 23,000.

Wheat ..... 24,000 28,000.

Corn ..... 143,000 223,000.

Oats ..... 112,000 139,000.

Wheat at Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Feb. 19.—Wheat—May 78 3/8; June 76 1/2 to 76 5/8. On track: No. 1 hard 78 1/8; No. 1 northern 78 3/8; No. 2 northern 78 7/8 to 81 1/2.

Grain at Liverpool.

Liverpool, Feb. 19.—Wheat, Spot.

Steady, No. 2 red western winter 68.

11-12c. Northern spring 68, 94.

Corn, Spot, American mixed, new steady, 48, 74.

Grain at New York.

New York, Feb. 19.—Wheat—Receipts 11,000, spot easy; No. 2 red, 21-1/2c; No. 2 red, 82 3/4-1 1/2c, and above; options closed steady.

Corn—Receipts 110,000; exports 30,000; spot, No. 2 red 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 2 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 3 yellow 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 4 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 5 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 6 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 7 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 8 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 9 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 10 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 11 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 12 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 13 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 14 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 15 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 16 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 17 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 18 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 19 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 20 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 21 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 22 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 23 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 24 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 25 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 26 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 27 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 28 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 29 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 30 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 31 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 32 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 33 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 34 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; No. 35 white 58 1/2-2 1/2c; 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BOY WANTED—At once at Snyder's meat market, 1592 N. Water. Must come well recommended.—17-dwt.

WANTED—Boy of 16 or over to feed press. Marquam & Co., Power bldg.—15-dwt.

WANTED—Persons to call on retail trade and agents for manufacturer house; local territory; salary \$15.00 paid weekly and expense money advanced; previous experience unnecessary; business successful; enclose self-addressed envelope. Standard House, Caxia bldg., Chicago. Feb. 13-dwt.

## FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in two Mrs. R. O. Rosen, 731 W. Macon st.—20-dwt.

WANTED—A competent girl for cooking and general housework. No washing or ironing required. Will pay \$1 per week if capable. Satisfactory references required. Mrs. S. Powers, 505 Powers Lane, new phone 218.—20-dwt.

WANTED—Girl for general housework no washing. 525 W. Macon st.—19-dwt.

WANTED—Room for young lady. Must be nicely furnished and well heated, near business section, address W. care Herald.—19-dwt.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework in small family. Apply 734 Prairie Ave.—18-dwt.

WANTED—A young girl to help with housework and sleep at home at night. Mrs. McMaster, 1440 N. Edward.—18-dwt.

WANTED—A dish washer at once. Busy Bed & Restaurant.—18-dwt.

WANTED—Good bright woman with experience to manage millinery department or would sell my million-dollar stock and rent space to the right kind of business woman. Also two young men with experience to sell dry goods. Inquire Chas. T. Johnston, Dry Goods Store.—15-dwt.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in family of two. No washing or ironing. One who can go home nights. Apply evenings at 573 W. Decatur, corner of Monroe. Mrs. George Dunton.—17-dwt.

WANTED—A short order cook to work nights at the Vienna Restaurant, 734 E. Eldorado.—17-dwt.

WANTED—An experienced girl for general house work. Inquire at 464 W. Decatur st. Mrs. J. S. C. Cussins.—15-dwt.

WANTED—A good girl to do general house work. Mrs. C. E. Dawson, 250 W. William st.—15-dwt.

WANTED—A girl for housework and company of nights. Mrs. Geo. W. Shaffer, 977 N. Monroe st.—16-dwt.

WANTED—A good girl must be a tailor girl to work on vests on trousers. 137 E. Prairie st. H. Roucher, 1 door east of Prairie Express.—15-dwt.

WANTED—At the St. Nicholas hotel an experienced dining room girl.—14-dwt.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

WANTED—A house by the 5th of March. 3 room and small cellar or 5 rooms without cellar. Must be within 6 blocks of square and rent reasonable. Address 529 E. Wood st. C. (lending money).—19-dwt.

WANTED—To buy 20 to 30 bushels of Sweet corn any good variety. Call or address H. F. Drobisch, 142 N. Water st. over Johnston's dry goods store.—19-dwt.

WANTED—By a clerk in the government service a five or six room house or cottage, with modern improvements, in a good neighborhood by the 15 or 25 of March. J. R. Garner, 5011 Morgan st. St. Louis. Mo.—17-dwt.

WANTED—Flax sewing to do mending, repairing ladies clothing of all kind. Work neatly done and charge reasonable. Call on Muggie Bennett, 124 S. Franklin st.—15-dwt.

WANTED—A cheap horse for delivery purposes in city. Inquire at J. H. Giger, Olive st.—15-dwt.

WANTED—By boy 17 years old, work for board and white attending business college. Address L. C. 215 S. Main.—14-dwt.

WANTED—Samples of corn and oats. If farmers will bring samples of good corn and oats to our office at 147 N. Broadway we may buy from them to our mutual advantage. We have calls for unnamed varieties. Saffern Seed Co.—8-dwt.

WANTED—Corn cob customers for nice unbroken cobs at \$1.00 to \$1.50 per load delivered payment in advance. Also cow corn, chicken feed and feed corn. Saffern Seed Co. 147 N. Broadway, new phone 859—8-dwt.

WANTED—All kinds of good second hand household furniture. Will pay cash or trade for new furniture, toasters, carpets, etc. We buy and sell complete outfit. Easy payments. Decatur Supply Co. 215 S. Park st.—3-dwt.

WANTED—A butcher stove and kettle combined for rendering lard. Also a press and cooler. Must be in good condition. Inquire of John H. Ray, 116 East William or telephone 576 new phone—Jan 28-dwt.

WANTED—The people to know that Diller Bros., 226 West Wood street, repair, repaint and put rubber tires on vehicles at most reasonable prices. All work guaranteed. Plenty of storage rooms for vehicles. First door east of Palace Barn.—1-dwt.

WANTED—Clean rags at the Herald office.—1-dwt.

WANTED—Moving, storage, all kinds of hauling, packing, etc. Delivery wagons. Phones 415, Davis Library.—18-dwt.

WANTED—All kinds of good second hand household furniture. We pay cash or trade for new furniture, toasters, carpets, etc. We buy and sell complete outfit. Easy payments. Decatur Supply Co. 215 S. Park street.—25-dwt.

WANTED—Carriages and buggies to paint and put in shape for spring use. First class materials and workmanship at a reasonable price. Storage free for winter. New phone 508. Shop second floor 122 N. Church. J. L. English.—32-dwt.

WANTED—Everybody to buy a meal ticket at the Farmers' Restaurant. Meals, 15 cents; 7 meals, 50 cents; 21 meals, 27.5¢; 46½ North Water street. S. prop.—Nov 1-dwt.

WANTED—Everybody to call at the cottage gallery, 588 N. Water, for first class photos at extremely low prices. 50¢ per dozen. With such dozen of photos, one photo button free; Open Sundays all day.—Oct 14-dwt.

WANTED—To buy good second-hand heating stoves, gasoline stoves, refrigerators and household goods. Decatur Auction and Fu Niture Co., 738 North Water. Old phone 2202; new phone, 758.—2-dwt.

FOR RENT—Houses.

FOR RENT—6 room house at 632 W. North, good order \$15 per mo in advance. Inquire of J. C. Hostetter, 145 N. Water st.—20-dwt.

FOR RENT—Modern 9 roomed house. Kitchen closet, pantry, wardrobe, city well and rain water at 1202 N. Main st. Inquire on Premises.—19-dwt.

FOR RENT—Good 7 room house, large barn, lot 40x150 located northwest part of city. Price for a short time \$1200 on terms. 8 room house near railway shops, corner lot \$1250, rents \$12. J. W. Barth, 116 Merchant st.—15-dwt.

FOR RENT—At 1527 N. Church st. one 7 room cottage. House rents for \$14. All room cottage. House rents for \$14. Apply to Johnson & Dimick, 159 Merchant.—14-dwt.

FOR RENT—Houses in all parts of city. Some modern. Also have furnished and unfurnished rooms which can be used for light housekeeping. Also a private room for storage. Merle Storage Co., 620 N. Wabash Ave., both phones.—Jan 28-dwt.

FOR RENT—Rooms.

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT—All modern conveniences. Good boarding house in same block. Call at 457 N. Jackson. Mrs. James Haworth.—20-dwt.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms with electric heat and heat and every accommodation with good service. Room 511 Argyle blk. B. F. Stanley, manager.—17-dwt.

FOR RENT—1 large nicely furnished front room with east bay window, 707 North Monroe st.—17-dwt.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room. All mod in conveniences, 419 S. Main st.—15-dwt.

FOR RENT—2 or 3 furnished rooms for housekeeping to party without children. 508 W. Macon st.—15-dwt.

FOR RENT—One furnished room suitable for two persons. On street car. Parties must furnish references, 272 Condit st.—14-dwt.

FOR RENT—HARDWARE ROOM KNOWN AS THE ECKLAW STAND IN GEHBART BLOCK.—A. J. POSITION FOR A LIVIN' MAN. THE BEST FINISHER ROOM IN THE CITY. OAK SHELVING, THE ROOM TO BE VACATED ABOUT MARCH 1. 1902. A. F. GEHBART.—GEHBART BLOCK.—12-dwt.

FOR RENT—One large nicely furnished front room, hot and cold water, all mod conveniences. Call at 362 W. Macon.—20-dwt.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—Lots in Beaman place, will soon be advanced. Better hurry and get in on ground floor. Delay will cost you money. R. R. Montgomery.—19-dwt.

FOR SALE—Shannon county, Mo. 690 acres of fine hardwood timber. Hill cut 8000 feet to the acre. Splendid investment at only \$4 an acre. Go and see this with us. Wilson & Riber, 194 E. Prairie, Decatur, Ill.—23-dwt.

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## INTEREST IN JUDICIAL CONTEST.

Close Fight Predicted in the Eleventh District Convention.

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 19.—The judicial contest among the republicans in the eleventh district is attracting much attention owing to the hot contest to be settled in this county, McLean, next Saturday. There are four candidates in the field from this county—Judge C. D. Myers, the incumbent; Judge Thomas F. Tipton, his predecessor; and Calvin Rayburn and S. P. Robinson, young lawyers who have not previously held office. It is generally believed that the contest lies between Judge Myers and Judge Tipton, although in the event of a close race between these two one or the other men may be nominated to break a deadlock.

The convention is to be held next Tuesday. In addition to nominating a candidate from McLean county, the convention will nominate two others from this district, composed of the counties of McLean, Livingston, Ford, Woodford and Logan, being entitled to three judges on the circuit bench. McLean county is always conceded one candidate, owing to its size and voting strength, and the other four counties settle between themselves which shall present the other two. Six years ago George W. Patton of Livingston and J. H. Moffett of Ford were nominated by Judge Myers, and have no opposition for renomination.

Judge Tipton, who is a leading candidate, has already served two terms on the bench and has practiced law in McLean county for a half century. He is one of the best known and most picturesque characters in central Illinois. His principal opponent, Judge Myers, has served three terms as county judge, being honored by the nomination each time without opposition. He is famed as an orator, and is conceded to be one of the ablest jurists of central Illinois.

## FIVE SEEK THREE NOMINATIONS.

Race for Places on Fourteenth District Republican Judicial Ticket.

Kewanee, Ill., Feb. 19.—There are five candidates for the three judicial nominations on the republican ticket in the Fourteenth district, which includes the four strong republican counties of Rock Island, Henry, Whiteside, and Mercer, making the nominations equivalent to election. The candidates are Judge Gist of Rock Island county, Judge Ramsay of Whiteside, Emery C. Graves of Henry county and J. H. Connel and W. T. Church of Mercer counties. The only county contest will be settled before the district convention meets in Rock Island, when there will be four possible nominees for the three places.

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## DIMMICK WANTS PAY.

Asks Militiamen for \$4,000 for Getting Dick Bill Through Congress.

Colonel Dimmick, who gained something of a reputation as a soldier at the Illinois encampment of 1901, has stirred up the national guard all over the union by a circular issued by him last week asking for \$4,000 to defray the expenses of legislation in getting the Dick bill through congress. His position, made through the adjutant generals of the various states, is for an assessment on each member of the militia of four cents. As there are about 100,000 national guardmen in the union this assessment would raise the required \$4,000. Officers of the Illinois guard say the scheme is an outrage and they will never stand for it. They declare that the Dick bill has passed and has become a law; that the national guard association made an assessment on its members for enough money to meet the necessary expenses for stationery and perhaps a secretary during the pendency of the bill, and that more money, especially such a sum as asked, is ridiculous.

The bill was passed some time ago. The national guard association did not authorize a paid lobby to work this measure through. The government does not require a payment of costs to get bills through. It is not likely Col. Dimmick can raise a cent among the Illinois guardmen, whose officers are well acquainted with him. It is probable that a protest will be made by the Illinois officers of the guard, and that unless the circular is called in and the work of collecting this money is stopped Illinois will withdraw from the association.

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To make this Friday one of our busiest days, with every \$1 purchase or over made in our store Friday we will give a coupon which will entitle the customer to eight bars Fairbank's Mascot Laundry soap for 10c  
(Regular price, six bars for 25c.)



## Friday

Friday from 8:30 a. m. till 12 o'clock we offer Fairbank's Glycerine Tar Soap and Fairbank's Fairy Soap, high grade toilet soaps, four cakes for 10c

## The Greatest Bargain Friday Yet!

For the past two days we have made an examination of every department in our store—Today, Friday, we intend to make quick work clearing up all stocks. Read These Extraordinary Special Offers:

## 68c each

Sixty ladies' beautiful red, royal black and green all wool waists, all new and fresh, all sizes 32 to 42—waists that never soil in a regular way less than \$1.25 and \$1.50—Friday, to close them out in one day, choice 68c

## \$1.00 each

Ladies' beautiful Botany Flannel and French Flannel waists, our entire reserve stock, new and fresh, taken from boxes, waist sold from \$2 to \$2.50; all sizes in old rose, royal, pea green, black, cadet, etc.; Friday, your choice for \$1.00

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38 Ladies' fleece lined high class ready-made wrappers, beautiful styles, mill lengths, 5 to 12 yards in a piece; regular price 10c; Friday, a day a yard, choice for \$1.00

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## \$1.25

50 Ladies' heavy melton Oxford Gray Walking Skirts, regular price \$2, Friday, choice for \$1.25

## 39c

Two dozen ladies' beautiful light gray, pink, light blue and red "Daisy" Flannel Dressing Sacques, worth \$1; Friday, choice for 39c

## \$1.00 each

22 great large, heavy 11-14 Blankets, tan, gray and white, regular price \$1.50 and \$1.50; Friday, choice for 1.00 each

IT PAYS TO TRADE WITH THE STEWART DRY GOODS COMPANY

## \$1.00

20 POUNDS FINE GRANULATED SUGAR (Delivered only with other goods) for \$1

## 35c BROOMS

Decatur Union Made; four-sewed, splendid straw; Wabash sale 19c

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All Decatur Union Made goods; four-sewed; velvet bound; 25 lbs. to the dozen; Wabash sale 24c

## 12 1-2c a yard

1,000 yards of very fine India Linen, the best 10c quality in Decatur, short lengths, 2 to 5 yards, Friday a yard a yard 12 1-2c

## 6 1-2c a yard

Brandenburg Percales in black and blue grounds, with choice floral figures, mill lengths, 5 to 12 yards in a piece; regular price 10c; Friday, a yard a yard 6 1-2c

## 10c a yard

1,000 yards of elegant satin finish black mercerized Satin—regular 20c and 25c values, Friday a yard a yard 10c

## 45c a pair

68 pairs of ladies' lacey and plain black beautiful Golf Gloves, also plain black Golf Gloves; the best values ever offered—Friday, a pair 45c

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1,500 yards of mercerized spun glass and percale Dress linings, regular price everywhere 10c a yard; our price Friday, a yard a yard 12 1-2c

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1,000 yards of nice light and dark Outfling Flannels, pink and blue stripes and checks, Friday a yard a yard 6 1-2c

## A Great Dress Goods Bargain

Ten pieces of 36-inch granite weave silkline covered, yarn tied, regular price \$1.40; Friday a yard a yard 17c

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Five pieces of 72-inch half bleached Table Linen, the lowest price ever quoted in a good two-yard wide Table Linen; instead of 65c, Friday, a yard a yard 39c

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Wabash sale price

The greatest bargain in fine cakes this season.

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## 21c

RUMFORD BAKING POWDER 30c cans—Wabash sale 21c

## FINEST EGG NOODLES

Large packages—Wabash sale, three for 25c

## FRESH ROLLED OATS

Wabash sale—Seven pounds for 25c

## PURE OLD-FASHIONED BUCKWHEAT FLOUR

Wabash sale—Ten pounds for 39c

## ROUND SHORE HERRING

Wabash sale—Each 1c

## CRACKED HOMINY

Wabash sale—Seven pounds for 15c

## BARRIER SALT—FRESH, CLEAN, GOOD